effective until 10 DAYS after at least [one] 1 public hearing in relation thereto, at which parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard. [At least fifteen (15) days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be published in an official paper or a paper of general circulation in said jurisdiction.] NOTICE OF THE TIME AND PLACE OF THE PUBLIC HEARING, TOGETHER WITH A SUMMARY OF THE PROPOSED REGULATION, RESTRICTION, OR BOUNDARY, SHALL BE PUBLISHED IN AT LEAST 1 NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE JURISDICTION ONCE EACH WEEK FOR 2 SUCCESSIVE WEEKS PRIOR-TO-THE-HEARING, WITH THE FIRST SUCH PUBLICATION OF NOTICE APPEARING AT LEAST 15 14 DAYS PRIOR TO THE HEARING.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

Approved May 4, 1982.

CHAPTER 187

(House Bill 705)

AN ACT concerning

Deaf, Mute or Blind - Interpreters at Public Meetings Hearings

FOR the purpose of repealing-the-authority-ef-certain governmental-authorities-te-determine-whether--the provision--ef-a-qualified--interpreter-is-feasible-te assist-deaf-persons--at--public--meetings--er-hearings conducted--by--any-State-department-or-agency-or-by-the General-Assembly; and modifying the circumstances upon which governmental authorities are required to provide qualified interpreters.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 30 - Deaf, Mute or Blind Section 2 Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland read(s) as follows:

Article 30 - Deaf, Mute or Blind